

REPORT OF THE JOINT LIBRARIANS OF PARLIAMENT

The Joint Librarians of Parliament have the honour to report as follows for the year 1903-4:—

The recess having been so short, there is little to say as to the affairs of the Library since the last report was presented.

Personal relations having been established with the officials of the various organizations in England concerned in the political and fiscal discussion, the Library is possessed of a complete collection of the pamphlets and books produced on these questions during the last six months.

The relations established, after long correspondence, with the various outlying colonies continue in a satisfactory manner; and the exchanges of the Library are now very large.

The Library is indebted to the Honourable Clifford Sifton, the Minister of the Interior, and to Joseph Pope, C.M.G., for documents covering the whole of the Alaska Boundary Award. The Imperial papers and map on this subject, so far as published, have been provided by the Librarians. The American official papers will also be provided when they are printed.

In view of the interest taken in railway matters, the reports of the various railway companies in the United States were applied for, and a large number have been received.

The various annals relating to statistics and business have been received, so far as issued.

Mr. Flint, the Clerk of the House of Commons, has kindly donated to the Library a collection of Statutes and Blue-books from his office.

The Librarians desire to acknowledge the constant kindness and helpfulness of Hon. L. P. Brodeur, late Speaker of the House of Commons, and of Hon. L. G. Power, LL.D., the Speaker of the Senate, during the Parliamentary term.

The Librarians beg to again invite the attention of the Government and of both Houses of Parliament to the necessity which has arisen of providing additional space for the growing wants of the Library. As can be seen by all sorts of shelving placed on the floor of the Library and at every possible space, efforts are constantly being made to find new temporary accommodation for the books. This has been carried on for several years past, but the time is coming near when no new device will be available. As it would take several years to provide an annex to the Library, the question of building it is one to be considered as soon as Parliament will find it convenient. The congested state of all the shelves in every section is a source of trouble and delay whenever a book is required to be found at a short notice, and the evil is growing worse every day.

During recess continued efforts have been made to bring up to date the Law and Political Economy sections to meet the requirements of the legislature.

The work of the different catalogues has been pushed forward to completion for all the additions. Several parts of the Canadian and American Catalogue have been remodelled and copied, with a view of preparing the printing of the same in the near future. For the information of the members of Parliament, it may be stated here that the General Catalogue of the Library has never been reprinted since 1858, and that the Law and Political Economy Catalogue has been reprinted in 1880. It would be a great

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advantage to the public at large to publish the Canadian Section of the Catalogue, as demands for the same are frequently made to the Librarians. In anticipation of this emergency, the Canadian Catalogue has been prepared and is almost ready to be placed in the hands of the printer.

The Canadian and American sections have received several important editions. The price of the works out of print on America and Canada is constantly on the increase on account of the keen competition among the American Librarians for scarce books. Among the additions to the above section may be mentioned:

John Brereton. *True Relation of the Discovery of Virginia* (1602).

Hakluyt (R.) *The Principal Navigations* (1598) 2 vols.

Thomas Hariot. *True Report of Virginia* (1588).

Father Hennepin. *New Discovery of a vast country*.

The usual lists of donations to the library and of the works deposited under the Copyright Act, which have been received since last report, are hereunto appended.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

NOTE.—For list of Copyrights see Canadian Patent Office Record.

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LIST OF DONATIONS TO THE LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

From Rev. Wm. Bramley-Moore, London:

The Church's Forgotten Hope. The translation.

From Hon. S. A. Fisher, Minister of Agriculture:

The Imperial Shrines of Isé, the Divine City. 6 vols.

History of the Buddhist Sect of Otome of Kiota. 1 vol. (in Japanese).

From the Japanese Consul General to Canada:

Act and By-laws of the Bank of Japan.

Health Returns of the Navy, 1898-1900.

Medical Report, 1903.

Statistical Abstract of Agriculture and Commerce, 1900.

Regulations of Industrial Exhibition, 1903.

Illustrated Book of Army Manoeuvres.

Resumé Statistique de l'Empire du Japon, 1902-3.

L'Agriculture au Japon.

From D. M. Macdonald, Esq., Los Angeles:

Willmon's Secret of the Circle Trisection of Angles. (P.)

From the Mayor of St. John, N.B.:

Auditor's Report, 1902.

From the American Bankers' Association:

Proceedings, 1902.

From the American Free Trade League:

United States Free Trade Almanac, 1903.

From the Baltimore Board of Trade:

Report for 1902.

From the Baltimore Chamber of Commerce:

Report for 1902.

From the Bank of Nova Scotia:

History of the Bank, 1832-1900.

From the City of Birmingham, England:

Financial Statement, 1902-3.

From the British Columbia Board of Trade:

Report for 1902.

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From the Boston Chamber of Commerce:

Report for 1902.

From the Boston Merchants' Association:

Bulletin and Souvenir Number.

From the Buffalo Merchants' Exchange:

Report for 1902.

From the Canadian Forestry Association:

Report for 1903.

From the Chicago Board of Trade:

Report for 1902.

From the Duluth Board of Trade:

Report for 1901.

From the Hartford Board of Trade:

Report for 1903.

From the Maritime Association of the Port of New York:

Report for 1903.

From the Minneapolis Board of Trade and Commerce:

Report for 1902.

From the City of Montreal:

Annual Reports, 1900 and 1901.

From the Montreal Board of Trade:

Report for 1903.

From the National Board of Trade, United States:

Report for 1903.

From the Navy League, London:

Map of the World in 4 sheets, illustrating British Naval History.

From the New York Produce Exchange:

Report, 1902-3.

From the New York Chamber of Commerce:

Report, 1902-3.

From the Royal Humane Society:

Report for 1902.

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From the Railroad Companies of the United States:

Baltimore and Ohio Report 1902.
Chicago and Great Western Reports 1893-1903.
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Reports 1898-1903.
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Reports 1902-3.
Erie Reports 1901-3.
Great Northern Reports 1902-3.
Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Reports 1885-1902.
Lehigh Valley Report 1902.
Long Island Report 1902.
Michigan Central Reports 1885-1902.
Missouri Pacific Report 1902.
New York Central and Hudson River Reports 1869, 1891-1902.
New York, New Haven and Hartford Report 1902.
New York, Ontario and Western Report 1902.
Northern Pacific Reports 1897-1903.
Pennsylvania Reports 1892-3, 1895-1902.
Union Pacific Reports 1900-1902.

From St. John Board of Trade, N.B.:

Report for 1902.

From St. Louis Trade and Commerce:

Report for 1902.

From San Francisco Board of Trade:

Report for 1902.

From San Francisco Chamber of Commerce:

Report for 1902.

From Tacoma Board of Trade:

Report for 1903.

From Toronto Board of Trade:

Report for 1903.

From Vancouver Board of Trade:

Report for 1902-3.

From Winnipeg Board of Trade:

Report for 1902-3.

From the Government of the Australian Commonwealth:

Statutes of Practical Utility, 1901-2. Vol. 1.
Parliamentary Papers, 1901-2. Vol. 2.
Senate Journals and Papers, 1901-2. Vol. 1.
House Votes and Proceedings, 1901-2. Vol. 1.
Debates, 1st Session, 1901-2. 12 vols.

From the Government of the Bahamas:

Laws, 1903.

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From the Government of Barbados:

Laws, 1902-3.
Blue-book, 1902-3.

From the Government of Brazil:

Official Blue-books and Pamphlets (in Spanish), 1901-3.

From the Government of British Columbia:

Statutes, 1903.
Sessional Papers, 1903.
Journals of Assembly, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903.

From the Government of British Honduras:

Ordinances, 1902-1903.
Blue-book, 1902.

From the Government of the Cape of Good Hope:

Acts, 1902-1903.
Hansard, 1903.
Civil List, 1903.
Statistical Register, 1902.
Votes and Proceedings, 1902-1903.
Annexures and Appendix to Votes and Proceedings, 1902. 5 vols.
Reports Select Committees, 1902-1903.
Minutes and Annexures of Council, 1903.
Records of the Colony. Vols. 15-18.

From the Government of Ceylon:

Administration Reports, 1902.

From the State of Connecticut:

Public Acts, 1902-1903.
Special Acts, 1903.
Documents, 1901. 3 vols.
Law Reports. Vols. 74-75.
Senate and House Journals, 1903.
Register and Manual, 1903.
Historical Society Collections, vol. 9.
History of the 9th Regiment, vols. 61-65.
Report Historical Society, 1903.

From the Government of the Dominion:

Statutes, 1903.
Journals, Senate and Commons, 1903.
Hansard, Senate and House, 1903.
Votes and Proceedings, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903-4.
Supreme Court Reports, vol. 32. 40 copies.
Statistical Year-book, 1902, by George Johnson, F.S.S. 50 copies.

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From the Government of Grenada:

Ordinances, 1902-1903.
Blue-book, 1902.
Administration Reports, 1901. .

From the Government of Hong Kong:

Sessional Papers, 1902.
Blue-book, 1902.

From the State of Illinois:

Report Labour and Statistics, 1902.

From the Government of India:

Punjab Code, 1903.

From the State of Indiana:

Departmental Reports, &c., 1901-2. 3 vols.
Documentary Journal, 1901.
Report Labour Commission, 1901-2.
" Bureau of Statistics, 1901-2.
" Public Instruction, 1902.
" Secretary of State, 1902.
" Auditor, 1902.
" Fish and Game, 1901-2.

From the Government of Jamaica:

Hand-book, 1903.
Blue-book, 1902-3.

From the State of Kansas:

Laws, 1903.
Public Documents, 1897-1902.
Senate and House Journal, 1899-1901.
Law Reports, vol. 65.

From the State of Maine:

Laws, 1903.
Public Documents, 1903. 4 vols.
Senate Bills and Documents, 1903.
House Bills and Documents, 1903.
Law Reports, vol. 97.
Legislative Record, 1903.
Register, 1903-4.
Report Labour and Statistics, 1902.
Historical Society Transactions and Proceedings, 1902.

From the Government of Malta:

Government Gazette, 1903.

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From the Government of Manitoba:

Statutes, 1903.
Sessional Papers, 1903.
Journals, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903.

From the State of Maryland:

Report Statistics and Information, 1902.

From the State of Massachusetts:

Acts, 1903.
Public Documents, 1901- 1902. 22 vols.
Senate and House Journal, 1903.
Acts of Massachusetts Bay. Vol 11. 1726-1733.
Manual General Court.
Law Reports, vols. 181-182.

From the Government of Mauritius:

Blue-book, 1902.
Government Notifications, 1902.

From the State of Michigan:

Acts, 1903.
Legislative Manual, 1903.
Law Reports, vols. 127-128.
Labour Report, 1903.
Senate and House Journal, 1900.
Various Departmental Reports in Pamphlet form, 1901-3.

From the State of Minnesota:

Law Reports, vols. 85-88.

From the State of Montana:

Report on Mines, 1902.
“ Public Instruction, 1902.
“ Auditor, 1901-2.
“ Treasurer, 1901-2.
“ Agriculture and Labour, 1902.
Various Returns in Pamphlet form.

From the Government of Natal:

Acts, 1902.

From the State of Nebraska:

Law Reports, 1901. Vol. 1.
University Studies, 1902.

From the Government of New Brunswick:

Acts, 1903.
Assembly Journals, 1903.
Royal Gazette, 1903.
Debates, 1903.
Report on Agriculture, 1902.

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From the Government of Newfoundland:

Law, 1903.
Customs Returns, 1901-2.
Census, 1901.
Fisheries Report, 1902.

From the State of New Hampshire:

Laws, 1903.
Annual Reports, 1901-2.
Senate and House Journals, 1903.
Law Reports, vol. 71.
Manual of the Constitution.

From the State of New Jersey:

Legislative Documents, 1902. 5 vols.
Senate and House Journals, 1903.
Legislative Manual, 1903.
Law Reports, vol. 67.
Equity Reports, vols. 63-64.

From the Government of New South Wales:

Statutes, 1902.
Debates, 1902. 5 vols.
Votes and Proceedings, 1901, 6 vols. 1902, 6 vols.
Council Journals, 1902. 3 vols.
Year-book, 1903.
Statistical Register, 1901.
Seven Colonies of Australasia, 1901-2.
Industrial Arbitration Reports, 1902-3, 5 parts.
Report on Mines, 1902.
“ Department of Marine, 1902.

From the State of New York:

Laws, 1903.
Senate Documents, 1901. 15 vols.
Assembly Documents, 1901. 28 vols.
Senate and House Journals, 1902.
Law Reports, vols. 172-175.
Appellate Reports, vols. 75-84.
Legislative Manual, 1903.
Bulletin of State Legislation, 1902.
Bulletin of State Museum, 1902-1903.
State Museum Report, 1900, 4 vols. 1901-
State Museum Memoir, 1903.
Geological Reports, 1897-1900.
State University Reports, 7 vols.
Economic Value of Birds to the State.
Council of Appointments. Military Records, 1784-1821.
Public Papers of George Clinton.
Ecclesiastical Record of the State, 2 vols.
Calendar of Bells, 1902.
State Forest and Fish Game Laws, 1903.
Street Planting of Trees, Report.

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From the Government of New Zealand:

Statutes, 1902.
Journals, 1902.
Appendix to Journals, 1902. 4 vols.
Debates, vols. 122-125.
Journal, Department of Labour, 1902.
Report Minerals, Mining, 1903.

From the State of North Carolina:

Law Reports, vol. 131.

From the Government of the North-west Territories:

Ordinances, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903-4.

From the Government of Nova Scotia:

Laws, 1903.
Journals, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903-4.
Debates, 1903.

From the State of Ohio:

Laws, 1902.
Senate and House Journal, 1902.
Executive Documents, 1901. 3 vols.
Report, Labour and Statistics, 1901-2.
“ of the Auditor, 1901.
“ on Agriculture, 1901.

From the Ontario Government:

Statutes, 1903.
Sessional Papers, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903-4.
Report, Bureau of Industries, 1900-1.
Hodgins, J. G., Documentary History of Education in Upper Canada. Vol. 10.

From the State of Pennsylvania:

Laws, 1903.
Official Documents, 1900, 10 vols., 1901, 10 vols.
Legislative Manual, 1903.
Law Reports, vols. 203-205.
Superior Court Reports, vols. 21-22.
Statutes at Large, vol. 8, 1770-1776.

From the Government of Prince Edward Island:

Laws, 1903.
Journals, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903-4.

From the Government of Quebec:

Statutes, 1903.
Sessional Papers, 1903.
Official Gazette, 1903-4.

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From the Government of Queensland:

Acts, 1902-1903.

From the Government of St. Lucia:

Blue-book, 1902.

Ordinances, 1902.

Administrative Reports, 1902.

From the Government of South Australia:

Acts, 1903.

Proceedings of Parliament, 1902.

Council Debates, 1902.

Assembly Debates, 1902.

From the Government of Tasmania:

Acts, 1903.

Journals and Papers of the Assembly, 1902.

Walch's Tasmanian Almanac, 1904.

From the State of Tennessee:

Law Reports, vols. 107-108.

From the Government of Trinidad:

Blue-book, 1902-3.

From the Government of the United States:

Senate Documents, 1900-1. 27 vols.

House Documents, 1900-1. 25 vols.

Senate Documents, 1901-2. 22 vols.

Senate Reports, 1901-2. 4 vols.

House Reports, 1901-2. 11 vols.

House Documents, 1901-2. 112 vols.

House Journal, 1902-3.

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Agriculture Report, 1902.

American Practical Navigator, 1903.

Census, 12th, Abstract of, 1900.

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Commerce and Navigation Report, 1902.

Commercial Relations, vol. 69.

Congressional Directory, 1903.

Court of Claims Reports, vols. 37-38.

Currency Report, 1902-1903.

Decisions, Department of Interior, on Public Lands, vol. 31.

Education Report, 1902.

Engineers, United States Army, Index to Reports, 1866-1900.

Experiment Station Record, 1903.

Geological Atlas. Folio, 1901. 15 pts.

Immigration Report, 1903.

Labour, Bulletin of Department of, vol. 8.

Life Saving Service Report, 1902.

Mercantile Marine Subsidies, List of Books on.

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 Mint of United States, Report, 1902-1903.
Nunwak, United States steamer. Report of Operations on the Yukon River.
 Philippine Commission Report, 1902.
 Railroads, Reports of Commissioners of, 1901-3.
 Railways, Statistics of, 1902.
 Republics, Monthly Bulletins of International, 1903.
 Smithsonian Institute Report, 1902.
 Statistical Abstract, United States, 1902.
 Statutes at Large, vol. 32, 1901-3.
 Treasury, Report of the Secretary, Finance, 1902.
 War, Report of Secretary for, 1902. 5 vols.
 World's Commerce and American Industries, 1903.

From the State of Vermont:

Laws, 1902.
 Law Reports, vol. 74.
 Departmental Reports, 1902.
 Legislative Directory, 1902.

From the Government of Victoria:

Acts, 1902-3.
 Assembly Papers, 1902-3. 5 vols.
 Council Minutes, 1902-3.
 Debates, vols. 100-104.

From the Government of Western Australia:

Votes and Proceedings, 1902.
 Blue-book, 1902.
 Debates, vols. 21-22.
 Census, 1901.